

Portrait Is Unveiled

FREDERICKSBURG HONORS
MEMORY OF LATE JUDGE

News Notes Gathered From Various
Parts of the State of
Virginia

FREDERICKSBURG, Dec. 20.—In-
teresting ceremonies and a portrait
marking the unveiling of the portrait
of the late Judge T. B. Wright, for
many years judge of the Twelfth
judicial circuit. A beautiful cluster
of red and white carnations, typical
of the Confederacy, encircled the
portrait, which is a splendid work
of art, the product of William
E. Matthews, of Washington. Judge
W. C. China presided, and the portrait
was presented in the courthouse at
Tappahannock by Attorney General
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Chief Denies Booze Is Plentiful.
LYNCHBURG, Dec. 20.—Chief of Po-
lice John M. Gray here has declared
that apparently there is no evidence
to make it appear that there is
much more moonshine liquor being
sold in Lynchburg than there is in
fact. The department, the chief
said, has frequently been tipped off
to places where moonshine is being
sold, but that there was not the slightest
ground for even a suspicion that liquor
was being sold at the places com-
plained of.

Accident Delays Vessel.
FREDERICKSBURG, Dec. 20.—The
steamer Middlesex, of the Maryland,
Delaware and Virginia Railway Co.,
which left here for Baltimore at 10
o'clock, was delayed by an accident
to the tugboat, and will not leave
until tomorrow morning. The tugboat
was struck by a small boat, and
was damaged. The tugboat was
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Offered College Presidency.
LYNCHBURG, Dec. 20.—John T. Car-
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Baptist Church here, but for the
last two years pastor of the First
Baptist Church, Johnson City, Tenn., has
been offered the presidency of Carson
College, Johnson City, Tenn. Dr. Carter
has the election under advisement and
it is probable that he will accept it.
Dr. Carter was educated in Lynchburg,
about ten years, coming here from
Harrisonburg, where he held a suc-
cessful medical practice. He is
formerly resident at Rivermont, this
State.

Falls Through Skylight.
DANVILLE, Dec. 20.—John W. Rich-
son, of J. H. W. & Co., is in a
critical condition as a result of a
falling accident which took place
yesterday. The man was taking
the boy to buy Christmas gifts and
he was on the second floor of a building
when he fell through a skylight and
landed on a concrete floor. He has
conclusion of the brain.

Plan for Training School.
LYNCHBURG, Dec. 20.—A meeting
of the board of education of Lynchburg
plans for a training school to be held
the week of January 13 at Court
Street Church. Among the members
of the faculty already secured are:
Dr. H. H. Harris, Emory University;
Mrs. Clara E. Smith, Little Rock,
Ark.; Dr. J. C. Calver, Robinson,
Va. The school will include two
sessions daily, with supper served to
the members at the church.

Normal School on Holiday.
FREDERICKSBURG, Dec. 20.—The
Normal School here has a holiday to-
day, and immediately there was an
outpouring of young ladies for home and
a real Southern Christmas. Many left
on trains, and the Tappahannock
River steamer carried a large num-
ber to lower river points. Others went
by auto.

Annual Conference of State Agents

Progress Is Reported in
Home Demonstration
Work in Virginia.

BLACKSBURG, Va., Dec. 20.—The
annual meeting of the home demon-
stration agents of Virginia at the
Virginia Polytechnic Institute, De-
cember 20-18, proved to be one of the
most interesting and profitable that
has ever been held. The last session
of the conference was held Thursday
morning, when reports on the work
of the district agents and the county
agents showing the progress that has
been made on all lines in the coun-
ties of Virginia.

From the beginning of the confer-
ence it has been plainly evident, from
what the agents have reported and
the plans they have outlined, that
home demonstration work in Virginia
is now on a permanent basis. Pro-
jects of various kinds are now under
way in the counties which have home
demonstration agents, and all of these
have to do with the betterment of
home conditions and better commu-
nity environment.

Representatives of the agricultural
extension station and the department
of the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture, Mrs. E. D. Rich-
ardson, of the Virginia War Loan
Association, and Miss Edith Baer, su-
perintendent of home economics education
at Washington, were some of the
speakers from the outside.

overland in automobiles. School will
not resume until Tuesday, January
6th. This is to allow time for the
Lower Rappahannock River students
to get here on the boat arriving Mon-
day night, January 6th.

Wed in Hotel Parlor.
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Close Historic Home.
FREDERICKSBURG, Dec. 20.—Mr.
and Mrs. Mark Sullivan have closed
"Chatham," their historic home here,
and have taken a house in Washing-
ton for the winter, which they will oc-
cupy shortly after Christmas. They
left here today with the children to
spend Christmas at the home of Mr.
Sullivan's brother near Philadelphia, after
which they will return to Washington.

Curb Liquor Quotations.
DANVILLE, Dec. 20.—Curbs quo-
tations on Christmas liquor indicate
that this form of employment will keep
pace with the mounting sale of other
things and will cost \$20 per quart.
There promises to be no variety, for
the only brand on the market is the
unadorned liquor of inferior brew,
made in cast-iron stills.

Many Students Go Home.
LYNCHBURG, Dec. 20.—Upwards of
a thousand students were able to go
home for the Christmas holidays yes-
terday when Randolph-Macon Women's
College, Lynchburg, and Virginia
Theological Seminary and College, the
latter a colored school, closed for the
Christmas vacation. The high school
and public schools do not close
until next week.

Married in Washington.
COURTLAND, Dec. 20.—The mar-
riage of Miss Louise Cobb, daughter
of Mrs. Sallie Williams Cobb of Franklin
Va., to Herriek Stuart Massey, son of
Rev. H. H. Massey, of Edinburg,
Va., took place in Washington,
D. C., at high noon December 17 in
the Metropolitan Baptist Church. The
ceremony was performed by Rev. John
Compton Ball.

Faces Charge of Forgery.
LYNCHBURG, Dec. 20.—H. J. Jacobs,
who was brought here from North
Carolina to answer a charge of for-
gery, has notified the police that when
the case is called for preliminary trial

that he will waive that formality and
ask to be sent on to the January grand
jury.

Will Deliver Address.
FREDERICKSBURG, Dec. 20.—Judge
John T. Goodrich has been invited to
deliver the chief address before the
vicars of Middlesex, Matthews and
Gloucester Counties on January 15,
when they will hold a Lee-Jackson
celebration at Matthews Courthouse.

Vital Statistics.
LYNCHBURG, Dec. 20.—In thirty-one
deaths here during the first thirteen
days in December, ten of the people
aged and 20 per cent were over sixty.
The oldest was eighty-nine and the
average for the thirty-one deaths was
forty-nine years.

Release of Sixty Cars of Coal.
DANVILLE, Dec. 20.—Sixty cars
load of coal which for two weeks
have been side-tracked at Reidsville,
Ga., were yesterday released by the
Atlanta regional board. All of the
coal consigned to industries there will
be delivered to them.

Soldiers Get Salaries.
LYNCHBURG, Dec. 20.—Captain R.
B. Yoder, of local unattached National
Guard company, was paid today for
over several weeks ago to go to the
war fields, has received a check for
\$480 to pay the men for their services
at that time.

WIDOW OF POLICE JUSTICE
JOSEPH J. WHITE IS DEAD

Funeral Services for Aged Resident
of Richmond Will Be Held
at 3 o'clock Today.

Funeral services for Mrs. Virginia
Louisa White, 84, who died yesterday at
the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. B.
Peaseley, 712 Lamb Avenue, Barton
Heights, will be held from the resi-
dence at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. H. D. MacLachlan, D. D., pas-
tor of the South Street Christian
Church, will officiate and pallbearers
have been selected from among Mrs.
White's grandsons. They are G. B.
Peaseley, E. J. Carter, White, Jr., and
Stanley W. Steeney.

Mrs. White was the widow of the
late Police Justice Joseph J. White
and daughter of Curtis and Letitia Car-
ter. She was the last surviving mem-
ber of her immediate family.

Many Inquiries Received.
The "Lost Luggage" department of
the Knights of Columbus, at 461 Fourth
Avenue, in this city, has been receiving
hundreds of letters daily from former
service men regarding baggage which
they lost during the war. A. E. E.
in many cases soldiers have corre-
sponded with the army authorities and
received the impression that such cor-
respondence is given to the Knights.
The situation is just the reverse. All
service men who have written to the
army and not received their baggage
are requested to correspond with the
lost luggage department of the
Knights. In writing the ex-service
men should be careful to state the
nature of their property, the rank they
held and the organization to which
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LOCATING LOST BAGGAGE

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SEND
MANY PIECES TO OWNERS

Approximately 200,000 Packages Were
Lost in Transit by American
Expeditionary Force.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Working in
co-operation with the army officials
who are confronted with the task of
apportioning approximately 200,000
pieces of nondescript baggage lost by
the A. E. F. to claimants throughout
the country, the Knights of Columbus
yesterday shipped 1,000 pieces free to
former service men.

It was the largest amount ever sent
out at one time, and contained many
souvenirs of the war, which will now
be distributed by the soldiers for
Christmas presents. In spite of the
efforts of the army men working with
the Knights, the baggage accumulates
on the great army pier at Hoboken.

20,000 Pieces in Single Day.
Yesterday 20,000 more pieces were
added to the great inventory, which
have all been carefully sorted out and
grouped in orderly formation. The
barrel bags, trunks, carryalls, boxes
and bedding rolls in most cases con-
tain all types of war souvenirs. If
Santa Claus was given permission to
ransack the baggage it is estimated
that the merry old man would be able
to secure enough souvenirs to make
some 200,000 youngsters happy.

Occasionally a piece falls apart, dis-
closing flower holders welded from
empty shell cases, highly polished and
engraved; novelties wrought from
parts of battle planes and machine-gun
bullet; French dolls, beautifully be-
autiful; hand bags, silk aprons of a
subtle pink, handkerchiefs, handker-
chiefs, carefully camouflaged German
helmets, steel sabers with artistic hilts
of brass and silver.

There are peculiar little nicknames
constructed by wounded French and
Belgian soldiers; rolls of expensive
silk, pillowcases and tops of the finest
felt and leather, rare pieces of French
lace and embroidery, and other odd
and interesting souvenirs which would
make Christmas gifts of a most sub-
stantial character.

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the markings on the outside of the
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on the outside of the baggage, a de-
scription of the contents should be
given. Every soldier is entitled to re-
ceive free any piece which he may
have lost either in France or this coun-
try or on the way home. The Knights
have prepared a working force to ex-
pedite the forwarding of all baggage
before the holiday season ends and will
give special attention to all commu-
nications sent to them the next twenty
days.

Drunk-Writer Aids in Escape.
DANVILLE, Va., Dec. 20.—Late
Thursday night Jesse Richardson, a
Henry County negro held on the charge
of making a felonious assault upon a
negress, escaped from the Martins-
ville jail by warming his way to the
roof through the shaft of a dum-
my. The officers took measures to
apprehend him but at 2 o'clock
morning he walked into the Mar-
tinsville courthouse and told the officer
of the jail that he was ready to be locked
up again, and that he had escaped to
"go to his home for a short while."



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